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Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-19 (canceled)

Claim 20. (previously presented) A battery terminal connecting cable comprising:

a) a strand comprising a plurality of fine wires, and having a further section formed when said plurality of fine wires are pressed together and, wherein said plurality of fine wires are welded together in said further section;

b) an insulator disposed over a central region of said strand adjacent to said further section;

c) a flat contact piece coupled to only one side of said further section, wherein said further section is disposed at an end of said strand wherein said further section is formed on said end of said strand by pressing said plurality of fine wires

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together; and said further section is welded to said contact piece.

21. (Canceled)

22. (Canceled)

23. (previously presented) The battery terminal cable as in claim 20, wherein said further section is made from copper.

24. (previously presented) The battery terminal cable as in claim 20, wherein said further section extends longitudinally at an angle to a longitudinal axis of the cable.

25. (Withdrawn)

26. (Withdrawn)

27. (Withdrawn)

28. (previously presented) A battery terminal connecting cable consisting of:

a) a stranded cable comprising a plurality of fine wires, and having a further section formed when said plurality of fine

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wires are pressed together and, wherein said plurality of fine wires are welded together in said further section;

b) an insulator disposed over a central region of said strand adjacent to said further section;

c) an additional insulator disposed over said further section;

d) a flat contact piece coupled to only one side of said further section, wherein said further section is disposed at an end of said strand wherein said further section is formed on said end of said strand by pressing said plurality of fine wires together; and said further section is welded to said contact piece.

29. (currently amended) A battery pole connection cable comprising:

a) a stranded cable formed from a plurality of fine wires, wherein the stranded cable is at least partially insulated; and

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b) a contact piece for an attachment of said ~~stranded~~
battery pole connecting cable to the a battery pole and as a
predefined end of said battery pole connecting cable connection
wherein said contact piece is a flat plate having a screw hole,
wherein said plurality of fine wires are welded ~~in-to~~ on said
contact piece.